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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed December 12, 2007, please amend the claims
and consider the remarks as follows: